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Applicant: Dieter WENDT

Serial No.: 09/980,990

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SIMULTANEOUS AMENDMENT

July 19, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia

Sir:

Simultaneously with filing of a request for continuing
examination, please amend the application as follows: